GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4506
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BRIDGE ON RAPTI RIVER
YOGI ADITYANATH

Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware of the dilapidated and accident-prone condition of the bridge over Rapti river on National Highway 28 in Gorakhpur city;

(b) if so, whether the Government plan to construct a new bridge over there; and

(c) if so, the details thereof ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS (MAJOR GENERAL(RETD) BC KHANDURI)

(a)The existing bridge on Rapti river on NH-28 in Gorakhpur has been repaired and rehabilitated.

(b)&(c) There is a proposal for construction of Gorakhpur bypass under East West corridor component of National Highway Development Project (NHDP). Construction of a new bridge is also a part of the proposal.